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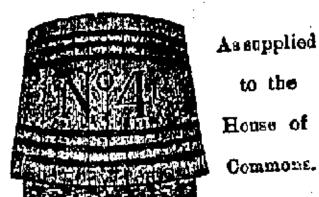
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At the meeting of the Legislative Council on Thursday afternoon, the Hon. Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend The Fire Insurance Complinies' Ordinance 1908. -In doing so he said:-This Bill was passed through during the present year and as stated, in the objects and reasons it was considered by the Board of Trade that the rights of creditors and shareholders were not being sufficiently safeguarded and provision is therefore made that if the company or any member or creditor feels aggrieved by the name of the company having been struck off the register the the court and the court if it be satisfied that it is just so to do may order the name of the company to be restored to the register. I may say, Sir, that it is based generally on the Life Insurance Companies' Ordinance of 1907 passed last year. It puts the two ordinances on a similar footing with the exception that it extends the of the company. It creates practically a uniformity and the same power is propose to be exercised in the other small bill before the Council generally amending the Companies Ordinance.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary seconded and the bill was read a second time. The Council then went into-committee

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second reading of the Bill entitled An Electric Kettles Ordinance to amend The Interpretation to give effect to decisions of the Supreme Court to maintain the right for an action for criminal conversation in this colony because no power to bring divorce proceedings exist. I may say that the Bill was very carefully considered. It was somewhat technical and required careful consideration. Its object is to give effect to decisions of

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COMPANIES' ORDINANCE AMENDMENT. The Hon. Attorney-General moved the second reading of the Bill entitled an Ordinance to further amend the Companies' Ordinance 1865. He said - The object of this Bill extends to creditors of a company the same right as a company or its members possess in the case of a defunct company being struck off the register, under the a member of such company. power to apply to the court It has been deemed advisable that that power should also be extended, to a creditor of the company. Where proceedings are taken and a company is struck off the register it has been deemed desirable that a creditor of the company should have the

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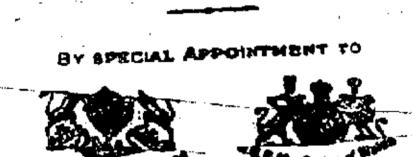
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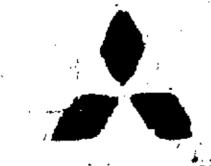
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Discussion At The Legislative Council.

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Hon. Mr Wei Tuk-I quite concur with all the Hon. Dr Ho Kai has said, and hope that Council will see its way to postpone the second reading of the bill.

Hon. Mr Hewett-Your Excellency, In your opening remarks you referred to the fact that I was the representative of the Chamber of Commerce. I may state that anything I say at this meet ing is entirely on my own account as have not consulted the Chamber of Commerce in the matter. The hon, unofficial member on my left referred to one of the clauses in the bill which makes the removal of adhesive stamps punishable by stocks. I presume the use of stocks in any case is exercised with the greatest possible discretion by officers to whom the power is granted. Speaking from my own personal experience I should say that the removal of adhesive stamps may lead to very serious frauds for a great number of years, and from a commercial point of view it is one of the most serious offences that can be committed and therefore I think the law officers of the Crown should have the widest possible powers to deal with the offence. If in certain cases the best means of punishment is the stocks I think that power should be in the hands of the law officers who can be trusted to exercise three, sub-clause 18, with regard to spitting. The hon, unofficial member on my right and the hon. Chinese members have both suggested that the discussion on this question should be postponed. I-do-not see 816 any necessity for that at all. The question it. I do not see that anything will be ALL Entries for the HONGKONG gained by postponing it for a few weeks HOCKEY CHALLENGE CUP or a few months. We will be no nearer to

s a very old one and they have had ample opportunity of considering and discussing solution than at the present moment. The hon, member on my left appears to think that the whole streets are spittoons. The penalties are for spitting on the street walks and in public buildings. In supporting this what I consider most wise and necessary reform on the part of the Government I say I am the last member to support any grandmotherly legislation-I believe that this is a really seriously

domanded reform and it is perfectly idle to suppose by putting up notices and asking the floating Chinese population of Hongkong to gradually learn that they must not spit in certain premises is a waste of time. Much one of the most serios evils in Hongkong. We have an incredile number of deaths from tuberculosis wich must be largely due to this disgusing habit. Therefore, Sir, I think the Gvernment is perfectly

right to ask for laslation now. We can trust the Government that it will not be unduly enforced the first place. We will gradually ecate the Chinese and other sections of a community into realis - ARTISTS :ing that they my not spit promisenously where they ples. I trust the Government will not slay the legislation but 764 proceed with thmatter at once. The AttorneGeneral—In reply to the

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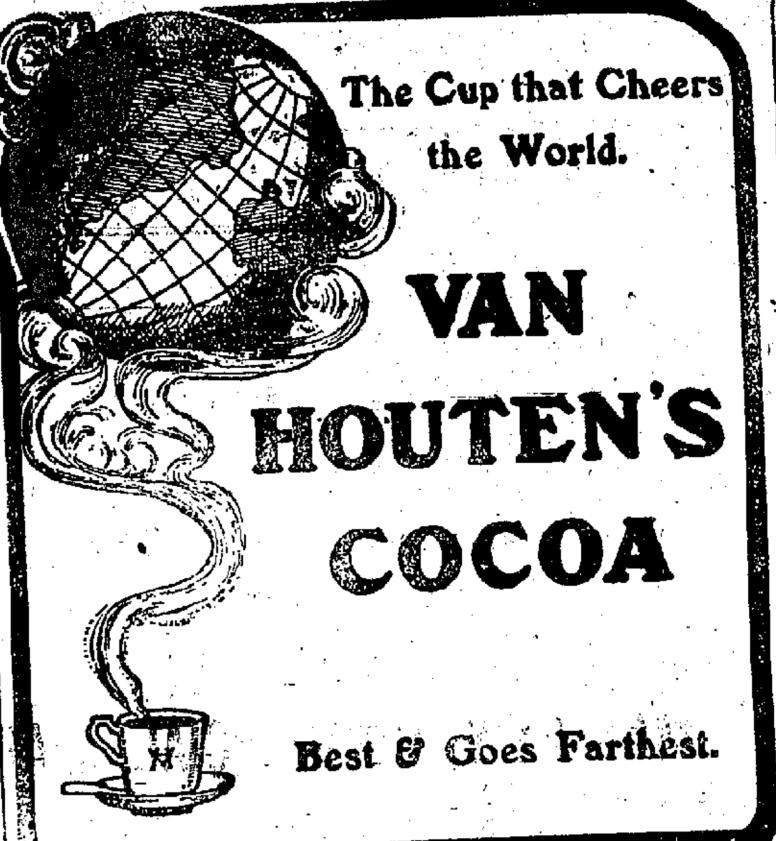
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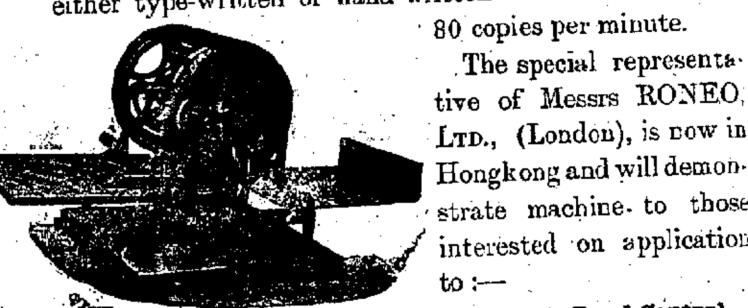
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satisfactory but, when we turn to the lose support at the polls. Yet someother side 'A the account we find that thing must be done, and done quickly the military and naval expenditure from

£33,000,000 to £56,000,000. For the financial year 1898-99 (the dant upon other countries for our food year previous to the South African war) supplies, another very disquieting fea-Hosiery and Gloves, etc., there was a small realised surplus ture, as the following table shows:--£186,000 -but in the Budget for the 679 following year-which, it must be remembered, was framed during times of peace a deficit of about £2,650,000 was shown. This deficit was entirely due to a great growth in ordinary expenditure especially as regards the amount devoted to the Army and Navy. So far from the revenue having contracted then, a further large

> deficit referred to was entirely due drifting to. to the estimates of expenditure being increased by about £5,000,000. Sir MICHAEL HICKS-BEACH, then Chancellor of the Exchequer, drew the serious attention of the House to this necessary

but ever-increasing expansion in the national expenditure, and indicated pretty plainly that the matter was one which would have to engage the Wood. closest attention of Chancellors o fresh E revenue. Unfortunately, Conservative Chancellor himself showed

very little courage in facing the question, and was content to meet his native was to-day sentenced to six months deficit by reducing the amount fixed for the redemption of the National Debt by £2,000,000, and by a few trifling Communications relating to news should be increases in the stamp and wine duties. In the autumn of 1899 the whole

position was changed by reason of the in unlawful possession of 200 logs of pine Correspondents must forward their names outbreak of the South African war, and instead of the financial year closing with a small surplus, there was a deficit All letters for publication should be written of nearly 14 millions sterling, while the further deficit of about 37 Unitions. By

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the Budget for 1902903 the maximum

of expenditure as iched, the estimate

for that year beit 193 millions, as

compared wit sestimate of 111

millions in/1/9-1900—the year

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The China Mail.

Hongkong, Friday, December 11, 1908.

DISQUIETING FIGURES.

so ductile were they in the hands of skilful manipulators. Last month the Statistical Abstract for the United Kingdom appeared, showing the remarkable advances made during the past 15 years in every department of the A, the year ending with a small tician can devise. Yet whether takes up an optimistic or a pession attitude regarding them, the masses of figures spread over the pages of which the book is conoccasioned by the way the total give food for much sober thou Handsome Toilet Sets, Silver mounted begin with, they show that honel been an enormous growth in has direct taxation to about a hillions. great | The present fiscal year is been accompanied by

(increase in public expe. Here are Radical party at first anticiped, and to alarm moderate ec tional income :--

19,070,000 warns the nation, like other Challon So far a

onel expenditure on elementary if an unpleasant catastrophe is to ation alone has risen during the last averted. Of course the present depres-15 years from £8,500,000 to £15,500,000. sion in trade will pass and another era During the same period the cost of the of prosperity will dawn, but that does Civil Service has grown from just over not warrant the nation in continuing its £6,000,000 to nearly £10,000,000, and mad policy of drawing unlimited drafts on the chances of the future. Besides, we are becoming more and more depen-

> 97,168,000 Wheat (cwts) 460, 198 105,601 Live sheep and lambs g, 785, **008** Beef (cwts) 4,678,523 Mutton (cwts.) 5,965,605 3,198,887 Bacon (cwts.) Butter (cwts.) ... 2,372,239 2,077,4621,926,613,000 Eggs (cwts.)-Apples (bushels)..... Bananas (hunches) . 4,671,800 Onions (bushels)..... Pototoes (cwts.)..... 2,828,125 Certainly these figures make one

expansion was anticipated, and the pause to wonder where Great Britain is NEWS OF THE DAY.

> Sporting notes, and the teams for to morrow's matches, cricket and football,

will be found on Page 8. For entering a house at Shaukiwan and stealing six bags of seed, a shop coolie was, at the Magistracy to-day, sentenced

to six months' hard labour by Mr J. R. A boatwoman of a licensed passenger boat was fined \$25 at the Marine Court,

For returning from banishment a He leaves the Colony with the good wishes hard labour at the Magistracy, and forstealing wood the same man will undergo a month's imprisonment. Mr J. H. Kemp Sir Henry Wilkinson. Born in 1837, the was the magistrate.

A native timber merchant was to-day charged at the Magistracy with having been timber, valued \$600, and also a quantity of other timber, valued \$300. Mr J. R. Gardiner defended, and the case was

The Chief Justice, Sir Francis Piggott, reserved his decision at the Supreme Court, noget confeger union which Haudie agreement and a counter claim by defendant for the return of his security of \$55,000 and

The celebrated band of the S. M. S. Füerst Bismarck gave a capital programme rapidly did the we expenditure of music during and after dinner at the Shanghai Bank to-day, in consequence of increase that, in spit of the new Oriental Hotel on Thursday evening. The which the house-flag was flying at halfspacious dining room was crowded, many mast. taxation, the year close with a deficit being unable to gain admission and the several numbers were very well received. borrowing. In the following year The verandah was tastefully festooned for time, and had undergone four operations the occasion by Mrs Matthaey, with flags had expressed his intention of presiding at further taxation and rrowing became of all nations. necessary by reach the war, while in

An able seaman of H.M.S. King Aired was playing a game on Chinese K.C.M.G., F.R.G.S., was created turking at his pocket. On looking down eldest son of the late Mr William Cameron, he discovered that a sharp cut had been male in his clothes, and a native cook was holding his hand so as to catch the money Mr John Houchen, of Thetford, Norfolk. which was falling out. On a search being neeting the special made the native was found to have six extra war endure was, first, by loans, dollars of the money in his possession; and at the Magistracy to-day he was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour, by Mr J. R while about £47,000,000 Wood.

through increased direct An interesting sale of work was held by hosts of friends. taxati and about £57,000,000 from at No 1, College Gardens, this afternoon, the when the several stalls were laden with large assortment of fancy work, children's of affairs down to the year clothing, toys, lacquer and silver ware and I forget to lay in a supply of Chamber-05, when, for the first time carved wood; etc., besides goods left over lain's Cough Remedy. You may not need the war, the position became from the M.C.L. Bazaar. The proceeds of Mrs Bunbury's stall are to be given to the of croup. For sale by all chemists and funds of the C.M.S. Training School, St storekeepers. nation's affairs. Here we have figures was. From that time onwards each Paul's College, and the proceeds of other that can be adapted to any good or evil get was characterised by remission stalls are to be devoted to the Ministering echeme which the mind of the mathema that since 1005 at the present was under the patronage of His Excellency

Zeen a reduction of about 74 millions A number of prettily designed calendars in indirect taxation and 2 millions in ad blotters for 1909 reach us from various. direct taxation, while, comparing the surces. Amongst these are those forposition with the maximum of taxation larded by Messrs Melchers and Co., on half of the Royal Insurance Co., Ltd.; pers from Messrs Sassoon and Co., as remission of indirect thation has ante of the Queen Insurance Co., Ltd; amounted to about 15 miles and of a from Messrs Arnhold, Karberg and by the Victoria Dispensary, and the andof the Albingia (Hamburg) Assurance

trade generally. How the posin ite S. Schneider, of Koffeyfoutein, O. lor of the Exchequer, alone knot. He has found that it cures his children well himself of their coughs and colds. 17,880,000 before him, that a limit must be ced until this remedy was used. Many parents 4,420,000 on the national expenditures, like pobling bester for conghe, cold and croup.

HOME POLITICS.

Feeling must be running dangerously be | high when the Liberale petition the Premier to appeal to the country. The opinion of the Cabinet, however, is to stick to office as long as possible, and if Mr Burton, the Postmaster General, voices the feelings of his colleagues there will be no dissolution for at least two years. Speaking at the National Liberal Club recently he said that the Government refused to be dictated to by the House of Lords in regard to an appeal to the country. Since then however the Government have had their Licensing Billthrown out by the Lords, the Education Bill has been withdrawn, the Scottish Land Bill also, so that matters may be wearing a different complexion

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr and Mrs. R. Belilios returned to the Colony by the English Mail this morning.

Bishop Hendrick, of Manila, arrived in Hougkong this morning on his way to the Philippines.

Mr and Mrs. J. H. Scott. Mr Scott, the command. head of Butterfield and Swire, is paying a long promised visit to the Far East.

Dr J. C. Thomson will deliver a lecture at the Y.M.C.A. rooms to night on "The Romance of Lowland Scotland"; illustrated by lantern views and Scottish story. The public are cordially invited.

Reuter wires from Mombassa that, owing to the Congo State having practically ceased to administer Lado, European and Commerce, directs that every hunters have hemmed in eight thousand elephants and are shooting the males.

They are reaping large profits. After 17 years' service in the Hongto the best means for raising to-day, by the Hon Commander Basil kong Police, Inspector Ritchie has retired agriculture. Taylor, R.N., for unlawfully carrying nine on pension, and leaves for home to-day. passengers in excess of the number allowed. He was formerly a member of the Edinburgh Police, which he joined in 1886.

of all his colleagnes.

Another Indian Mutiny veteran has passed away in the person of Lieut. General son of a clergyman, he entered the Army in 1856, served through the Indian Mutiny, and later rose to the command of the 16th Lancers. In 1880 he commanded the Cavalry Brigade operating in Afghanistan and later took command of the Bozdar Field Force. After service in the Egyptian campagin of 1882, he held high command be urged, as they are closely identified. in India and later in the N. E. district of

- SIR EWEN

England. He retired in 1894.

We regret to announce the death of Sir Ewen Cameron, who for years was principal manager with Sir Thomas Jackson, in London, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Pallavicini, after a conference with the Banking Corporation, news of which sad Grand Vizier, has intimated that imevent was received by the Hongkong and

-The late Sir Ewen Cameron, who has been in failing health for a considerable the annual bank dinner in London, but the news of his death was hardly unexpected. In 1966 the late Sir Ewen Cameron, ormises yesterday when he felt some one Knight. He was born in 1841, being the Muckovie, Invernessshire, and in 1878 he married Josephine, daughter of the late withdrawn owing to the Lords' amend-To him is largely due the great success which attended the career of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank in its early days, and it is difficult to estimate the enormous amount of work he did for this big institution particularly during the years he served in Shanghai. He will be sincerely mourned

> TO THE HEAD OF THE FAMILY. IN ordering household supplies, don t the winter is over. It never fails in case

THE SHANGHAI LIBEL ACTION.

HEAVY DAMAGES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, December 10. In the action for libel brought by Mr E. T. Bethell against the North. China Daily News, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff and awarded

[Note :- This telegram was received last night after we had gone to press,-En.

ARMY TO BE UNDER ONE COMMAND.

(Wah Ter Yat Po's Service.) Peking, December 10.

Te Liang, President of the Board of War, proposes that the whole Army Among the afrivals by the Delta were should be placed under his direct

DEVELOPMENT OF INDUSTRY.

(Wah Te Yat Po's Service.) PERING, December 10.

The Board of Agriculture, Industry provincial Taotai in order to promote the development of industry, should take upon himself the duty of promoting

RAILWAYS IN CHIVA.

EARLY COMPLETION DESIRED.

· (Wah Ter Yas Pa's Service.)

PERING, November 30.

Wing Kwang, a member of the Kan Lin Hsien, has memorialised the Throne that the early completion of the railways throughout the country should

with the establishment of a con-

AUSTRIA AND TURKEY.

London, December 9. The Austrian Ambassador, M. von mediately the boycott ceased Austria would make proposals for a settlement of the Bosnis-Herzegovina question. The Grand Vizier says that the boycott will cease immediately Austria has submitted satisfactory proposals.

SCOTTISH LAND BILL

WITHDRAWN. LONDON, December 9. Mr Asquith has announced that the Scottish Land Values Bill has been ments. This is the second Scottish Land Bill which has been killed by the

same cause during the present session. ANNEXATION OF THE CONGO.

Lownon, December 9. Mr Mckinnon Wood, in reply to questions in the House of Commons said that Great Britain had not yet recognised the annexation of the Congo Beigium had undertaken to shide by if now but you are almost sure to before the Congo's obligations under the Berlin

Act, including the freedom of interna-

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BRITISH POLITICS.

RADICALS URGE APPEAL TO THE COUNTRY.

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LONDON, December 10. A Radical memorial to the Right Hon Mr Asquith, Premier, urges him to take steps to appeal to the country as a protest against the recent actions of the House of Lords.

THE TRANSPORTATION OF GOLD.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE SUGGESTED.

("zolusive Service supplied by Peuter, vis Bombay.)

London, December 10. Mr. Cortelyou, Secretary of the U.S. Treasury, in a report to Congress, ence be called to consider means to gold from country to country during times of stress.

THE BUFFS TRAGEDY.

A Verdict of "Suicide."

Barrachs with his throat cut.

nobody near deceased when he found him. Private Marsh stated that on the evening of the 27th ult. deceased asked him for the loan of his cap, and as he went out of foolscap on my table."

Mr Kemp-Is this your cap?-Yes, sir. Is it a common thing for a man to borrow another man's cap ?-Yes, sir.

cap ?-No, sir. Lance Corpl Barker stated that he was ceased went out, leaving Private Marsh and witness together. They remained together until it was time to turn in. Witness did not hear anything said about borrowing a cap.

Private Dyer spoke to seeing deceased going out between 9 o'clock and 9-30 on the night of the 27th. He passed through witness's room. Witness could not remember whether deceased had a cap on. Witness knew deceased but he had never heard him complain of any worry in his private affairs. He had never complained of over-

He had a good deal of work; hadn't he? -Yes, sir.

But he never complained about it ?-No. Private Tozer stated that as deceased passed his (witness's) bed on the night in question he asked him to deliver a message to Corpl Wade, saying, "Tell him he will find the foolscap on my table, as he will answer for me to-night." This referred to Was Private Marsh in the room at the

time?—Yes, sir. Did he leave the room afterward i-No.

returned.

CHINESE SEAMEN ON BRITISH SHIPS.

It seems, says the L. & C. Express, that Chinese seamen in the East End are endeavouring by many little tricke to evade the stringent regulations which have been hans the smartest of all is that of imperbefore the vessel sails, his place is taken by another who knows no English at The first is then left free to do the same thing again, and so the fraud goes on, and British seamon are supplanted. by the Chinese in spite of the regulations. According to Mr Havelock Wilson, M.P. there will have to be some much better pulverised, hung in suspension in the means of identification before the arrangements can be regarded as satisfactory. But notwithstanding the tricks and evasions, the number of Chinese sailors in the East End is steadily decreasing, and it is estimated that there are now not more than 300 to be found, as compared with about a thousand before Mr Winston Churchill took the matter up.

CITEARES HEADAGHE CURE absolutely pectorate in the drain or as regards public cures besidences of all kinds. No halls and stairways that they should be opistes, no bad after effects. It will not required to use splittoons which I think mil. All chemists. Insist on Steams.

THE SPITTING NUISANCE. Discussion at the Legislative

Council.

At the meeting of the Legislative Council on Thursday afternoon the Hon. Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill entitled an Ordinance to amend the Magistrates Ordinance 1890 and to effect certain other amendments in the intended to oppose the second reading of Are we to give the police power to Criminal Law. In doing so he said—It this Bill in view of sub-section 18 section 7 arrest everybody found spitting there or also effects some small amendments in the criminal law of the colony, 'The objects and reasons which are attached to the Bill gave categorically the reasons for each section. Clause 3, which gives the power be of good behaviour, is simply based be of good behaviour, is simply based the new form in which this clause is to be common police officers we are in danger of clause in the ordinance which gives a this afternoon. I do not know if that ment of oppression. I am not speaking in magistrate power to impose imprisonment it seems to me an important thing which the colony and I hope the Captain Superwhere a man fails to enter into sureties needs careful consideration. to keep the peace. It appears to be an

Sarrachs with his throat cut.

Sergt Webb, recalled, said there was impose imprisonment. The effect of that the proposed persons, disobeying an order their coat sleeve. What then I Does this was to nullify to a great extent the proposed persons, disobeying an order their coat sleeve. What then I Does this was to nullify to a great extent the proposed persons, disobeying an order their coat sleeve. What then I Does this was to nullify to a great extent the proposed persons, disobeying an order their coat sleeve. What then I Does this visions of the Ordinance as it stands and St. John's Cathedral, fraudulent bankhe said "Tell Corpl. Wade there is a piece should be modified in a degree. It was sance clearly declares to be a misdemeanour a great deal of opposition to this clause unwas never intended to modify it to the —the removing of adhesive stiamps. I am less it be amended in such a way as to restent which would be the case if the referring to Ordinance No. 16 of 1901 move all the objections. And I think, after particular section of the Magistrates Ordin- section 27, (Reads.) By the terms of this all, that this is not a matter of very ance to which I referred was brought into new section the removal of adhesive stamps great urgency. The Government would You don't know why he borrowed your able to clear up the matter altogether so misdemeanour. That will show that the postponing its consideration for some little as not to nullify the effect of the existing punishment by stocks can be awarded to time. I intended asking that the bil legislation. The only object I have in any person who committed it were an offence should be read a second time twelve view is to preserve what is in the Statute against this. That is going far beyond what months hence, but in view of what your with deceased and Private Marsh on the book and existing legislation. Since I we have agreed to in respect to punishment because 7, have come to the Council to-day I find by stocks. The great objection to this is I think it would be better if the second reading of the bill could be postported for that my hon, and learned friend opposite no doubt section 7. As I have not seen reading of the bill could be postponed for has some doubts as to the wording of the the amendment of which Your Excellency a fortnight or three weeks. clause as it stands at present. I can only spoke I cannot say anything about it say that the object of the clause—and that but on principle I must say I protest after full consideration of the subject by all the magistrates concerned and by those who have had any experience of magisterial courts—is simply to preserve existing legislation. I am quite sure I have Your Extitle of an Ordinance further to amend the the existing state of things and not to law. Sir, I do not advocate the habit of the Council upon which His Excellency but sometimes a man spits when he is

will have some observations to make. The Colonial Secretary seconded: in the Bill before us makes spitting a what he was eating was goose flesh. all the evidence pointed to suicide, as it The hon. member who represents the of that person, and now you are mak. settled. was impossible for deceased to have had a | Chamber of Commerce did not, I think, | ing it a criminal offence for which a deadly quarrel without some one in the share that view entirely and was opposed man can be run in and fined. Again regiment knowing of it. There might be to the policy of laissez faire. In that I in schools, it may be a matter of discipline, some suspicion against the man whose cap quite agree with him but I hope the yet at the same time children spitting was found, but Private Marsh had given a smendment which will be proposed wil. in the playground are liable to be had full explanation of that, and he was meet his view. It is generally to the effect up, and according to another provision evidently in the room after the deed was of empowering the Governor in Council to instead of being put in gaol will be liable committed. He (Mr Kemp) thought there issue regulations should occasion deto a whipping. Then with regard to offices could not be any question of real suspicion mand and to attach penalties for the and flats. With flats in European houses gainst that witness.

The Foreman of the jury said they think it would be preferable to publish tions of this kind will no doubt be a benefit, as a thanksgiving. For this purpose the thought the evidence clearly showed that notices in public places if there is any but Chinese tenement houses are let out in man engaged a boy on the pretence of the wound was self-inflicted, and that prospect of their being effective, I am flats not as places of business but as there was nothing to show that there was opposed to the issue of a prohibition which residences. Spitting in all these places any ill-feeling existing on the part of may be ignored with impunity and which will have to be prevented. I appreciate There he was set upon by two men, who anyone with whom suspicion was likely the Government has no power to enforce. Your Excelleng's statement that this sec- were engaged by the banta to commit the A verdict of "Suicide" was therefore published there should be means of en- particular section of the community but I and arrest followed. The man was comforcing them in case of their disregard. At venture to submit that it will be very mitted to Chotse Nagpur Sessions Court. struggled against the raging sea and arrived FAIRBANKS, MORSE & CO. the same time I think it is unnecessary to difficult indeed to appreciate that state. The Judge, holding the accused to be a in port early this morning. burden the statute book with another ment, because the very large population of simpleton, took a lenient view of the case amendment to a bill which we have already Chinese here who have been accustomed to and sentenced him to transportation for under consideration. The insertion of the expectorating not only at home but out- life. amending clause which is proposed will side would constantly be offending against enable the matter to be dealt with so far as the law without perhaps intending to do the law is concerned without any further so. Habit is second nature and becomes amendment to the Ordinance. As regards a sort of involuntary act, and a provi-

amply demonstrated that tuberculosis dis-

ease is spread by this means. In the dry months before us matter discharged from

the mouth and nostrils dries in the sun, is

atmosphere, and is inhaled in the lungs of

healthy persons. I myself am strongly opposed to paternal legislation which in-

terferes with the convenience of the

individual unless it can be demonstrated

that convenience is exercised to the

inconvenience of the majority or to the

detriment of public health. I do not think

it is asking too much to require persons

addicted to the habit of expectoration te

move to the side of the pathway and ex-

reasonable and which owners should

provide for the purpose. I confess my found that the relaxation of the law has view on the necessity of taking action on been instrumental in promoting the diffulties among the BECHSTEIN on the social inconvenience of any particular part of the community as for instance soiling European ladies' dresses but on the ground that it is a danger to the public health and is in my opinion of very great hygienic importance. The exact terms of the amendment will be read to you in the time providing spittons in offices. Let us committee stage and then you will have the try that measure first. I am quite sure opportunity of amending or altering them. that in time it would be successful. Hon Mr Slade—Your Excellency, I Outside in the street what can we do?

to which Your Excellency has just referred. are we to instruct police officers to exercise I understand it is intended to entirely certain discretion in allowing some to do alter this clause. I think, Sir, this is an it and not allowing others. If we strictly important matter and it seems to me that carried out the law I am afraid the gaol it needs a great deal of consideration, lest compound would not be sufficient to accom-some regulations may be confirmed which modate those arrested. If you say the law will cause annoyance to the Chinese will not be enforced strictly then I say first of imposing imprisonment in the failure of community here. I am therefore of opinion of all what is the use of having a law on a defendant to comply with his sureties to that with Your Excellency's permission it the statute book without enforcing it.

In of cood behaviour is simply beard might be better if we had time to consider Again if we are to leave the discretion to

intendent will not think I am belittling Hon. Dr. Ho Kai Your Excellency, it the splendid force under his command. omission in the original ordinance and was my intention also to oppose the second I am only putting it as a general printiple object of the amendment is to put reading of this Bill, in fact I learned that ciple. If you entrust these discretionary both on a basis of uniformity. As regards my hon, friend who has just sat down powers to a common constable are you section 4, at the present time power to wished to say something against the second in trunning in danger of giving him power impose a whipping is confined to certain reading and I left it to him to speak. Now, to do evil and become oppressive? Now, cases only and magistrates have found in Sir, this Ordinance was introduced to Sir, I know arguments have been advanced cases of youths that they have had to further amend the Magistrates Ordinance that in Singapore they have passed an impose imprisonment or let the youth go of 1890 and under the title of that it Ordinance of this kind. Moreover in altogether. The object of this is to extend introduced one of the alterations in a Singapore they have managed to do away the power of whipping which is a salutary former Ordinance which excited a good with the vexed question of subsidiary coin amondment. It is based on the principles deal of discussion and consideration be- and what is more they have succeeded in which now provail in all colonies as they tween myself and my colleague representestablishing a Municipal Council. But it do at home so as to authorise whipping ing the Chinese on this Council and the does not follow we should follow them in suggests that an international confer- instead of sending youths to prison. That learned Attorney General. After much all respects and in this particular instance power will have to be exercised with discussion; as he has stated, we had fixed it would be a mistaken policy to follow obviate the necessity of transporting one and will have a salutary effect. Instead of sending a youth to prison it Punishment Limitation Ordinance of 1907. | sanitarian I say it is desirable in certain empowers a magistrate to order him to be This Ordinance is to be repealed but respects, but just now Your Excellency whipped. As regards section 5, the Or. I submit as we have been consulted before has drawn a picture which scientifically dinance recently passed affected the law as to the phraseology of that Ordinance we may be regarded as correct. That is imposing punishment by stocks and the should have been consulted as to the to say that spit on the ground gets dried Oh, He! So Here's for A Merry Ordinance drafted by me was to the effect drafting of some clause which would meet and the germs fly about and carry that punishment would only be imposed in the difficulty. Now the present substitut infection. On the other hand what is the cases of offences punishable by imprison. Ition for that clause in section 5 reads substitute for spitting on the ground? A ment. As my honourable and learned (Quotes). That includes a very large man has to carry a handkerchief with him. friend opposite remembers we had some number of offences, in fact offences which That article is a very necessary one, but The inquiry was resumed at the Magis. difficulty at the time in considering the in our previous discussion had been adplied by the street and phraseology that would best meet the point mitted on all sides to be offences which search their pockets we would find very tracy this afternoon, by Mr J. H. Kemp, in view and subsequently to the passing of bught not to be punished by the stocks. Supposing they spit into handkerinto the circumstances attending the death the Ordinance it was brought to the notice. Now in turning over the index attached chiefs or sneeze in them the germs gets into the circumstances attending the death of the Government that the Magistrates to the revised Ordinance we find under into the handkerchief. Then they of Lance Corpl Smith, of the Buffs, who Ordinance of 1889 gave power to a magiswas found on November 27th at Murray trate in all cases to impose a fine except ces, such as celebration by a minister of their clothes, which is just as dangerous. certainly it was entirely opposed to the in-ruptcy, removing adhesive stamps, false pavement or spitting into a coat? I subtentions of the legislature which, when the statements in registering births and deaths, mit there is not much difference so far as subject was discussed was of opinion that and officers cortifying false documents and the spread of infection is concerned. Sir the imposition of punishment by stocks so on. I will just refer to one which Ordins. for the reasons I have stated I can perceive

cellency's consent for saying that it is the Magistrates Ordinance of 1890 and to Supreme Court, this morning, Ho Yuk, a intention of the Government to preserve effect certain other amendments in criminal insist upon the imposition of stocks. With spitting in public or in any place but at regard to clause 7, first section, clause 18, the same time we must consider that the Government intends to modify these spitting is either voluntary or involuntary proposals and a clause will be submitted to -voluntary when a man spits with a will, under the necessity of doing it. A man who has something in his mouth or who His Excellency-I do not propose to dis- gets something masty in his mouth at once European who was in the shop at the time cuss any of the various clauses alluded to spits it out. I remember a story of a and he could not get the European by the hon. Attorney-General at the pre- Chinese philosopher who had a great sent moment but before we go into com- repugnance to eating animal food and mittee on the Bill I should like to say a especially to goose flesh. One day he was few words regarding the first subsection of treated to a certain dish of which he partook, the boys responsible for the payment of chits. clause 7. The clause as it stands printed freely until he was suddenly told that He had threatened to deduct that amount nuisance and therefore it would devolve philosopher jumped out of his chair at once, from plaintiff's wages and plaintiff became upon the police to enforce the law and to went outside and spat—spat for all he was very cheeky and took his cap and left the pure. arrest persons who were breaking it. Since worth. It was lucky for him that at that shop and did not return for several my attention was first directed to this sub- time there was no ordinance making spit- days. The Russian clerk was not responthe roll call. He added "I'm off to the ject, which is now many months ago, there ting a criminal offence. Take as an examble for anything in the shop because he have been several important and interest-ple public theatres. Chinese theatres, did not understand the English language. ing debates in the Sanitary Board on the where people sit and have food, tea, fruit, It was plaintiffe duty to remain that evensubject. It was proposed by some of the and all sorts of things and they can also ing until closing time but he had gone members that notices should be posted in smoke while they are witnessing the away before his time and had not asked for public places prohibiting this habit and performance. Supposing anything nasty any wages. several gentlemen who have an intimate got into a man's mouth there I say it

acquaintance with Chinese character con- is a matter of necessity that he should week and told the plaintiff that if he beg-His Worship, addressing the jury, said sidered that method would be effective. spit: it is an involuntary act on the part ged his master's pardon the case might be

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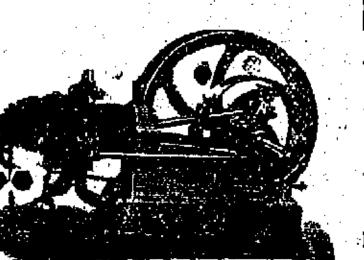
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REVIEWS. The Far East Revisited, by A. GORTON Angier, London, Messrs - Witherby and Company. Mr A. G. Angier, the Editor of the London and China Express, who first made personal acquaintance with the Fer East in 1878 and subsequently took trips to this side of the globe every ten years or so, revisited the Orient again last year and contributed to his journal a series of letters upon the political, commercial, social, and general conditions in Malaya, China, Korea and Japan, which deservedly attracted a good deal of attention. We are therefore glad that he idea of the state of affairs existing at the present moment, beside indicating what Light. possibilities of trade divelopment lie in the immediate future. For Mr Angier possessed this advantage over the ordinary Newchwang. travelling journalist, he was able to compare the places he was writing about in 1907 with what he saw on his first and subsequent visits and from the light of comparison which he thus was able to throw upon his subject he was enabled to get a better insight into future developments than falls to the lot of the average observer, beside arriving at conclusions from a more detached standpoint than is possible for the man on the spot. The point is well brought out by Sir Robert Hart in the Preface which he contributes to the book. Says taining them arrived in China, they appeared so valuable that it then seemed a pity them on an inconvenient newspaper file;

to either throw them away or preserve book-form and embellished by illustrative San Francisco to Yokohama.....s.s. SIBERIA, calling at Midway Islands and Honolulu plates is both opportune and welcome, and there need be no hesitation in recommendwhose numbers daily increase. Mr Angier to describes places and communities in a quarter at a time when new forces let loose by this century were and are arrang-ing themselves in logical continuity for further evolution, and what he has said of the condition and doings brought to his and people before, and was accordingly able to illuminate both past and present with each other's light so that the comparison thus made gives additional value to all he writes, whether as record or Mr Angier in his review of the presentday conditions in the Far East takes a

very optimistic view of the future. At every place he touched in his long journey he saw signs of healthy advance. the grim forebodings of past years in regard to many had been quite falsified by events, old blunders and mistakes had been rectified in others, and though here and there he heard talk of depressed trade, of business slipping away, of cut-throat competition providing no good for anybody, on the whole he was more than satisfied with what he observed. He certainly is not one of those who consider that in the great Praya Reclamation been put into bricks and mortar and that the stately buildings now adorning the principal business quarter of the Colony will soon prove but white elephants and Hongkong he says: "The development is marvellous, and it will certainly continue despite an occasional check.

withal a handsome place the dwelling houses may with justice he Marseilles. described as palatial." He sees great possibilities latent in the Kowlcon-Canton railway, and though the Colonial revenue is at present in low water he fears no evil. The loss of the Opnim revenue he thinks will be made good, while the only great pressing need of the hour is better educational facilities for the children of European residents. Wherein we cordially agree with him. The great development of railway enterprise in China during the past decade naturally at-tracted his attention and he gives considerable space to describing the various lines he travelled over in his tour of the Empire and the projected schemes which have been laid out on paper or started here and there throughout the land. Mining also receives much consideration, especially in northern China and his readers are placed in possession of the latest available information concerning all mines and mining schemes in which foreigners are interested. Space does not permit of a lengthy review of the book, but we cordially re-echo Sir Robert Hart's opinion that Mr Angier has "done the public a service in reproducing the outcome of personal travel and observations made on the spot." It is a pity Mr EMPIRE Angier did not chose better pictures for EASTERN ... illustrating the chapter on Hongkong : they can scarcely be called illuminating.

The House of the Crickets, by KATHERINE TYNAN. London, Messrs, George Bell and Sons.

Miss Typian opens her story amid the sordid surroundings of a derelict farm in western Ireland. The farmer, one Patrick Moore, a morese fanatic, kept his family under a spell of terror. "Hell was the central point of his religion. Pretty well all the world was going there. All the world was evil, everyone full of evil inclinathe opportunity to commit the grossest sins. He was determined that his children should concerned. Hence the life of grinding. still in happy childhood. Hence the disproportionate punishments meted out to them for small offences. Hence the banning of all companionship and al relaxations." As a consequence the sons turned out drunken neer-do-weels, the farm went from bad to worse, poverty and squalorgrowing grimmer and grimmer. The tale most concerns the two daughters. Julia and Hannah, and how they effected their escape from the wretched autroundings of their childhood. Both took different paths yet happiness came, though deep were the waters through which the younger and the more densitive passed are she found peace.
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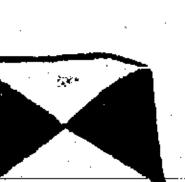
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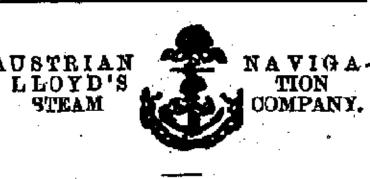
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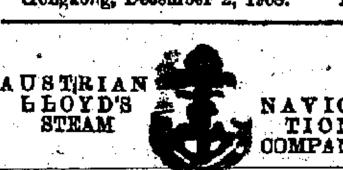
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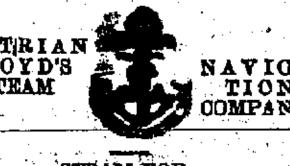
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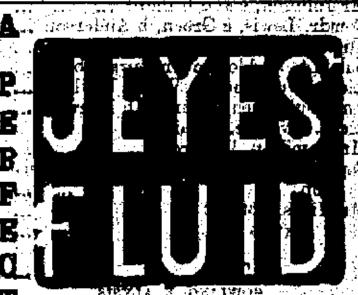
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O.S. C.C. "A" U. MR BRAWN'S TEAM. The following will represent the C.S. Club on the Craigengower ground at 2 p.m., on Saturday :- A. E. Davey, captain ; J. McEwen, H. Ellis, A. G. Pile, A. M. Thornhill, H. Coombs, J. Mackay, F. E. Beach, E. W. Dawson, C. F. Burdett, P. R. Adams. Reserves :- S. J. Taylor, A.

Gibson, W. S. Diggins. The following team will play against the and Hunter.

Civil Service Cricket Club second eleven:— A. O. Brawn, W. H. Viveash, G. Evans, H. Peterson, A. E. Jenkins, W. Hall, G. E. Lace, J. Whitfield, E. Leitao, J. Yew, it will be played on the Military ground, and G. Witte.

KOWLOON V. HONGKONG. This match will be played at Kowloon on Saturday, commencing at 2 p.m. The home team will be :- Major Chitty (capt.), Mr. Robinson, Mr Martin, Mr Dixon, Mr Lightfoot, Lt. Balderson, S. M. Mende, Lt. Haughton, Mr Mead, Lt. Liepmann, Lt. Byrne. Reserves :-- Mr Jewel, Mr Lowe and Lt. Richardson.

HONGKONG v. NAVY.

To-morrow afternoon on the Ciub's ground, commencing at 2 p.m. the above match will be played. The following players will represent the Club :- Messrs R. Hancook, H. Hancock, T. E. Pearce, W. C. D. Turner, H. R. Makin, H. D. Sharpin, W. E. L. Shenton, F. H. H. Stevens, E. H. Hinds, A. P. Dashwood and Walter J. Daniel.

BONGKONG v. KOWLOON.

The following team will represent Hong kong in the above match on the Kowloon ground commencing at 2 p.m:-Lts. Anderson and Sill (the Buffs) Messrs E. A Fowler, A. Mackenzie, S. S. Logan, R. Lowe, E. Irving, J. H. Chalmers, R. Pestonji, H. H. Taylor and A. C. Hagen.

LUSITANO R. C. V MOSLEM R. C. There will be a return match between Lusitano Recreation Club and Moslem Recreation Club on Sunday, at 2 p.m. sharp on the latter Club's ground. The following will represent the L. R. C.:-A. J. C. V. Ribeiro, P. da Reza, F. X Britto, C. Lopes, L. G. Cordeiro, I. P. Corveth, F. Hyndman, P. A L. Yvanovich, A. V. Barros, T. Pereira and A. G. Britto.

88TH CO., R.G.A. v. 27TH CO., R.A.M.C. These teams met in a match on Thursday when the honours fell to the R.G.A. XI. The scores were :--

R.G.A:-Watlom, b Wills, 14; Nolan, Hyndman. b Warson, 2; Gould, c Barr, b Warson, 6; Owen, c Hill, b Wills, 15; Foster, c Reardon, b Wills, 0; Ryan, b Warsop, 0; Lindstron, b Hill, 6; Gibney, b Wills, 0; Costigan, c and b Wills, 5; Robinson, b Wilis, 1 : Styson, not out, 5; total 55. BOWLING ANALYSIS.

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R.A.M.C.:—Hill, c and b Owen, 0; Wille. c Styson, b Owen 11; Honsago, run out, G. D. McIlraith, W. B. Stanton and E. D. or 6 bottles for \$8 post free. 5; Barr, b Owen, 0; Warsop, c Foster, b C. Wolfe. Owen, 9; Riordan, e Gould, b Ryan, 5; Fowler, b Ryan, 3; Walker, c Gibney, b Ryan, 0; Waters, b Gibney, 4; Porth, not out, 0; Cooper, c Walton, b Gibney, 1; extras 12; total 50. BOWLING ANALYSIS.

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KING ALFRED OFFICERS v. BUFFS OFFICERS. On the ground of the Hongkong Cricket Club, kindly lent for the occasion, a match took place yesterday between officers of H.M.S. King Alfred and of the Buffs. The result was a comfortable win for the soldiers by 87 runs. During the afternoon the Buffs band rendered a pleasing musical programme, while the officers were "At home" to a good company of friends. Scores:

KING ALFRED. Lieut. Tovey, b Baird 10 Mr Johnson, c and b Baird 0 Comdr. Lewis, c Green, b Anderson ... Eng.-Lt. Edwards, b Baird 18 Sub.-Lt, Haddon, c Greenway, b Sill... 0 Lieut. Mulleneux, c Wedd, b Sill Eng.-Sub. Lieut. Martin, b Baird Lieut, Tweedie, b Baird... 24 Mr Hamilton, b Baird 1 Capt. Clinton Baker, c Baird, b Ander-

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matches down for decision to-morrow (Saturday), and doubtless some capital

play will be esen. HAVAL YABD UNITED V. THE BUFFS. On the Neal Ground these teams will meet. The kick-off is timed for 2,30 p.m. sharp; and the referee will be Sapper Haigh R.E. The Naval men will be represented Whiteaway; J.U. Joughin, and Bacon; Rate of Native Interest... 42p.m. Daniery, Clover, and Harding; Cutler, Chinese Sub, Coin

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League Football.

BOYS OWN U. E.G.A. The following have been chosen to play for the Boys Own Club in their match against the R.G.A. at Causeway Bay; kick off at 4 p.m :- C. Pereria; A. Abbas, and H. J. White; I. E. Chunyut, K. Khan, and C. Leitho; C. Remedios, I. L. Goldenberg, Y. Abbas, C. Sequira, and D. Baptista. Reserves, H. Muskett and A.

Y. H. C. A. V. B. A. M. C. At 2.45 p.m. play will commence on the Military ground between these teams. The Y. M. C. A. side will be :-- Atkins; McC bbin, Van Ginkel; Stubbs, Wharton, Storrie; Kelly, Wilson, Clements, Bishop,

R. E. C. LUSITANO. This is the remaining League match, and Kandy, Ceylon. No wonder, then, that the kick-off being fixed for 4-15 p.m.

Leagne Cricket.

C.S.C.C. V. TELEGRAPHS. The following will represent the C.S. Club on the Civil Service ground at 2 p.m., A. R. F. Raven, E. B. Reed, A. R. Sutherland, F. Sukon, R. C. Witchell.

League Table.

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Rugby Football.

kong Football Club in a Rugby match to lysis, Beri-Beri, Malaria, Liver complaint, be played at Happy Valley on Saturday, at Indigestion, Headaches, Scrofula, Eczema, 4.30 p.m. :- Back, E. L. Shaw; threequarters, F. G. Carroll, A. A. Claxton, A. which afflect ladies between youth and S. Kempthorne and A. E. Wood; halves, 1 L. I. Blackburn and W. S. Hone; forwards, H. G. C. Bailey, C. C. F. Cunningham, F. C. Hall, H. W. Lester, P. Linton,

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YONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-J named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo :--From London, &c., ex s.s. India. From Australia, ex s.s. China. From Calcutta ex s.s. Sardinia. From Persian Guls, ex B. I. S. N. and 3. and P. S. N. Co.'s steamers. Optional goods will be landed here nuless

instructions are given to the contrary befo**re 6 Hours.** Goods not cleared by the 17th December, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me

in any case whatever. Damaged Packages must be left in the Cheangchew, for Amoy. Godowns for examination by the Con- Keongwai, for Swatow. signee's and the Company's representative Feiching, for Canton. as an appointed hour. All Claims must be Delta, for Shanghai, presented within ten days of the steamer's Waishing, for Shanghai. arrival here, after which date they cannot Astyanax, for Nagasaki. be recognised. No Claims will be ad. Menelaus, for Keelung. mitted after the Goods have left the Yochow, for Canton. Godowns.

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent. Hongkong, December 11, 1908. 1671

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. November 6, Nore, Teenkai, Ville de a Oiotat. November 10, Soyo Maru. November 13, Menelaus, Telemachus,

Lituania. November 17, Theseus. November 20. Carnavonshire. November 24, Benvorlich, Sunda, Shi- from Marseilles, Dr Dennis O'Hagan, M

Maru, Yunnan, December 1, Tranquebar, Soudan, Su- Bombsy, Mr H. M. Bhinji, Mr and A matra, Ionkin.

Nyanza, Silesia (Ger.)
December 8, Benlarig, Glenlochy, InS. O. Hallam, and Mr E. Gomes.
Shanghai from London Mr and drani, Prinz Eitel Friedrich. ARRIVALS AT HOME.

December 8, Brasilia, Hitachi Maru,

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Imp. German Mail s.o. Prinz Walde. Mr Graham; from Marseilles, Mr Colle Dec., at 3 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 12th December, at noon.

left Colombo on Sunday, the 6th from Yokohama, Major and Mrs Yata Dec., p.m., and may be expected here Mrs Allis ; from Kobe Mr E. S. Har on or about Thursday, the 17th Dec.

will be due to arrive in Hongkong on say, Mrs E. Lewis, Dr and Mrs Wiedne December 18. The s.s. Hongkong Mr E. H. Ross, Col. and Mrs Augur, Mi Maru carries the American Mail from Augur, Messra L. Murat C. Howard, San Francisco of November 17.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China left Yokohama on Monday, the 7th December, at 3 p.m. for Victoria and Shanghai, Messra C. P. Cochrane, A. Vancouver.

Expected. The Glen s.s. Glenearn left Singapore on the 6th Dec., and is expected to arrive here on the 12th Dec. The E. & A. steamer Empire from Syd-

ney, &c., left Manila on the 10th The H. A. L. S.S. Barcelona left Singapore G Mortyn, Miss Harper and maid. Fro on Sta Dec., at B s.m., and may be expected here on 14th Dec., p.m. The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Persia left Sin-

gapore for this port on the 8th Dec., p.m., and is due here on the 15th The Glen Line s.s. Glenavon left Singapore on the 10th Dec., and may be expected to arrive here on the 16th Dec. The Indo-Chins S. N. Co. Ltd.'s s.s. Lai-

sang from Calcutta and the Straits, left Singapore for this porb on the 8th Dec. The Ben Line steamer Benledi from Middicabro', Antwerp and London, left Singapore on the 5th Dec., for this

The E. & A. steamer Rastern which left here on 12th Nov., arrived at Sydney on the 4th December. . . The s.s. Kutsang from Calcutta and the BAROMETER-Straite, left Singapore for this post

on the 4th Dec. he N. Y. K. s.s. Yetorufu Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay for this port via Colombo and Singapore on the 30th Nov., and is expected here on the 21st December.

Latest Advices. The N. Y. K. s.s. Yeboshi Maru (Bombay Line) left Moji for this port on the 3th Dec., and is expected here on the 16th Dec.

18 G. N. B. S. Minnesota from Sestile, has arrived at Yokohama on Thursday, 10th Dec., will sail for Hongkong via usual ports of call on Saturday, 11th Dec., and may be expected here on or about Friday, 25th Dec. The s.s. Kumerio left Manils on the morn- Mr. P. Curris ing of 10th Deca for Hongkong.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Tosa Maru (American Mr & Mrs Gaer Line) left Shanghai for this port on and shild the 10th Dec. and is expected here Dr F. Keys on the 13th Dec.

SHIPPING

December 10. Empress of India, British steamer, 3,032, E. Beetham, R.N.R., Vancouver, B.C. Nov. 19, and Shanghai Dec. 8, Mails and General.-C. P. R. Co.

Mathilde. German steamer, 831, A. P. Ulderup, Haiphong and Hoihow Dec. 8, Rice and General.—JEBSEN & Co. Mendaus, British etr., 4,276, Williamson, Liverpool Oct. 30, and Singapore Dec. 4, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

December II. Devanha, British steamer, 4,785, Wm. Hayward, R.N.R., Shanghai December 8, Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. Delta, British str., 4,780, B. W. Snow, Bombay Nov. 25, and Singapore Dec. 5, Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. Yochow, British steamer, 1,306, J. H. Brown, Shanghai December 7, General.-

Feiching, Chinese steamer, 980, R. G. Paramore, Chefoo December c, General. -C. M. S. N. Co. Tean, British str., 1,346, A. Outerbridge,

Butterfield & Swife.

Manila Dec. 8, General. - BUTTERFIELD 1670 & SWIEE. Johanne, German str., 952, J. Iwersen, Haiphong and Hoihow Dec. 9, General, -JEBSEN & Co.

Kinng Ching, Chinese steamer, 1,000, Brissander, Chickiang Dec. 5, General.—

Iris, American Naval Stores steamer, 1,300, Prideaux, Manila Dec. 8, Stores.— U. S. GOVERNMENT. Fausang, British steamer, 1,410, H. S. Malkin, Hongay December 8, Coal .--Jardine, Matheson & Co.

DEPARTURES. December 11. Simongan, for Saigou. *Loksana*, for Shanghai. Chipshing, for Swatow. Chiquen, for Canton. Sultan van Langkat, for Singapore. Clara Jebsen, for Canton. Frithjof, for Saigon. Aldenham, for Australian Ports. Hongkong, for Haiphong. Tjipanas, for Shanghai. Yuensang, for Manila. Esang, for Shanghai.

Shaohsing, for Swatow. CLEARED.

Yesan Maru, for Kuchinotzu.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Delta, for Hongkong : from Londo Mr Kinnaird, Miss Milne, Mr McKird Mr McKenzie, Mr and Mrs Belilios a maid, Bandmann Opera Co.:—Miss Forsyth, Miss Hamer, Mesers S. Shrou M. McLeod, S. Geach, L. Laundes, C. Cooke, T. Sydney, C. Vane, Mr and M Vigours, Misses H. Vaughan, J. Harcou L. Forsyth, and D. Forsyth, Mr Har Neville, Miss Ragner, and Mr Smit Luckenbach, Miss M. Studer, Mr Re-November 27, Suruga, Peleus, Sanuki Mr and Mrs Harvey Jones, Mr and M Black; from Aden, Capt. Ross, Jr.; from Noronha; from Colombo, Mrs Ewin December 4, Bellerophon, Monmouth-shire, Polynesien, Ellen Rickmers, Hyson, Mrs Esteves, Mrs and Miss Monarte, Mrs Esteves, Mrs and Mrs Estev Shanghai : from London, Mr and M Craig, Mr Watson, Mrs Hards, Mr s Mrs Edwards and child; from Marseill Mrs Harker Taylor, child and maid,

and Mrs Scott and maid, Mr Sleap, Mr Ralphe. For Manila from Marseil Mr Moore, Bishop Hendrick, and R. Ramieez. For Yokohama : from Lond mar left Manile on Thursday, the 10th | shaw ; from Brindisi, Mr and Mrs Grace Per Empress of India, for Hongkon from Vancouver, Mr E. Stanton, Miss The Imp. German Mail e.s. Derfflinger Ferguson, Misses D. Cheney, F. Bo carrying the German Mails with dates dicker, Mr and Mrs J. Gibson, Mess from Berlin of the 18th November, Geo. Dickeon, H. Hall, and L. E. Collies horn, Mrs Hartshorn, Mr R. Barker, The T. K. K. s.s. Hongkong Maru sailed Mrs Barker; from Nagasaki, Mr Albert from Yokohama on the 7th Dec., and Jesus; from Shanghai, Miss H. A. Lin

> A. Gubbay and John Kramsky. Per Devanha, for Hongkong: fr Kobe, Mrs Ames Lyde and maid; fr Hewett, W. Carter, Sir Alex. Hosie servant, Mrs G. W. Fenwick, Mrs J. Dormin, Messrs N. Ferroro, L. M. E R. Deza, Fathers Vila and Jenser From Yokohama : for London, Dr T. Bolton, R.N. From Koba: fer Lond Mr G. A. Laverton, Mr T. S. Thomas, Mrs and Miss J. Luard Pattison, and Lady Mortyn, Hon. E. Mortyn, h Pelley, Mr A. Rose and servant, Mr Mrs McGlasham, 2 children and serva for Marseilles, Mr G. H. Liddell ; Lond Miss Gilliard; for Colombo, Mr O.

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. At Kotoloon .- Usher, H.M.S. Vira Hinsang, Taingtan, Hilary, Swanley.

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Hongkong, Dec. 13, 1908. 4 P.M. 9 a.m. 1 P.M. ... 4 P.M. 9 A.K. ... 1 P.M. 4 P.M. *** Maximum Do. Minimum over night

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Vessels Advertised as Loading.

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| iar., L'oon, A'orp, & c | Palermo (s) | P. & O. S. N. Co. | About Dec. 16. |
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| laniia | Kubi (s) | Shewan, Tomes & Co | Dec. 12, at Noon. |
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